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This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

CLAIMS

- 1. (Currently amended) A process for the production of coatings on substrates comprising the successive steps:
- a) providing a substrate to be coated <u>selected from the group consisting of metal</u>, <u>plastic</u>, <u>wood and glass</u> and a backing foil <u>consisting of a foil coated provided</u> on one side with an uncured or at least only partially cured coating of a curable coating composition,
- b) applying the coated side of the backing foil provided with the uncured or at least only partially cured coating onto the substrate,
- c) curing of the coating applied in said manner <u>by thermal energy</u>, or <u>by</u> <u>high energy radiation selected from the group consisting of electron beam</u> radiation and UV radiation and
- d) removing the backing foil from the coating which remains on the substrate,

wherein curing of the coating proceeds prior to and/or after removal of the backing foil and wherein the uncured or at least only partially cured coating of the curable coating composition being applied onto one side of the backing foil by screen printing.

- 2. (Original) The process of claim 1, wherein the curable coating composition is a thermally curable coating composition and curing proceeds in step c) by supply of thermal energy by means of a method selected from the group consisting of radiant heating, convection, induction heating, contact heating and any combination thereof.
- 3 4 (Canceled)

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5. (Original) The process of claim 1, wherein the curable coating composition contains at least one binder with free-radically polymerizable olefinic double bonds.

- 6. (Canceled)
- 7. (Original) The process of claim 1, wherein the substrates provided in step a) are selected from the group consisting of vehicle bodies, body parts and body fittings.
- 8. (Original) The process of claim 1, wherein the coating applied onto the substrate is applied for the purposes of original coating, repair coating or provision of the substrate with an image.
- 9. (Canceled)